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Thirty Four of Roma Crew Dead in Wreck

Eleven Members Escape With Lives by Jumping as Giant Dirigible Strikes Ground at Norfolk Navy Base

PROBABLE ACCIDENT TO RUDDER

Eyewitnesses Say Steering Device Slipped to One Side—Million Feet of Gas Burns—Three Fire Departments With Chemicals Fight Flames—Derricks Pull Frame Away to Allow Removal of Bodies—Burned Beyond Recognition.

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 22.—Thirty-four men were killed, eight were injured seriously and three were uninjured or only slightly bruised when the giant army airship Roma, with her crew and a number of civilians totaling 45 in all aboard, plunged yesterday afternon from 1,000 feet or more in the air to the ground at the Hampton Roads naval base.

The accident presumably was caused by a broken rudder, and as the huge dirigible plunged to earth it capsized across a high tension electric line, bursting into a roaring furnace of blazing hydrogen gas.

Long after dark last night, many hours after her fall, the ship was still a mass of flames from end to end of her 410-foot mass. The fire fed on the 1,000,000 cubic feet of gas which distended the great bag for the flight and made all attempts at rescue work futile.

Barely a dozen of those aboard were picked up alive, and one of these died on the way to the hospital. All of those who survived the fire escaped by jumping as the ship struck. The others, penned in th hull of the fallen bag, were burned to death.

The flames were finally brought into submission by three fire departments, who fought them with chemicals. And then derricks began picking up the wreckage, which consisted of scarcely more than the alluminum framework and the six Liberty motors of the once proud ship of the air. Within the wreckage lay the bodies, practically all charred beyond recognition. But before the night had passed 33 bodies had been removed, accounting for the last of those who were known to have taken flight on the fatal voyage.

Accounts of survivors and of eye-witnesses as to what had happened appeared to agree tonight that the huge kite-like structure of the stern rudder ,itself as large as a bombing plane, had slipped to one side as the Roma drove along 1,000 feet above the army base.

She was making a trial flight with a new battery of Liberty motors. They were installed to replace Italian engines bought with her in Italy, but which have not proved satisfactory. Installation was completed at Langley Field two weeks ago.

It was just before 2 p. m. when those below at the army base at Hampton Roads base, had their attention caught by the approaching thunder of the six motors and looked up to see the Roma dip down from her straight flight. They agreed that the rudder seemed to have slipped bodily down and to one side.

The ship sped steeply down As she came closer, it was seen that her crew were hurling out sand ballast from the ports in the fragile fabric that formed the covering of the space between her keel and back, the living and operating quarters of the ship. The dipping blunt nose of the bag did not respond. On the ship came, unchecked in her glide earthward, head first. Her commander could not force her the few hundred feet that would have dropped her into the waters of the bay and comparative safety for her people.

Below ran the high double wires of the high power electric line. It carman's nose, shod with its aluminum ma' snose, shod with its aluminum guard, thrust into the wires, broke them as the ship flattened to earth and rolled over, and next moment came the noise of an explosion and the flames burst out along the hull space.

Washington, Feb. 21.—An official list of the survivors, dead and missing in the Roma disaster was received from Langley Field by the Army Air Service last night. The addresses, however, in most cases were unavailable. The list follows:

Identified Dead.

First Lieutenant William E. Riley, of 526 East Eighty-sixth street, New York.

Survivors.

Capt. Walter J. Reed, of Scarsdale, N. Y.

Major John D. Reardon, Washing-

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ORAL TESTIMONY IN DIVORCE PROBE

Hearing to Start at 10 O'clock Tomorrow Morning

Several Persons Requested to Appear Before the Committee Making The Investigation

The special committee of seven Alexandria Bar Association beginning at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning in the corporation court room will hear oral testimony in their probe of the alleged divorce evil in Alexandria.

Aong those who have been requested to appear before the committee are Frank Stuart, a local attorney; Harvey L. Cobb, reporter for a Washington newspaper, Mrs. Mary L. Baggett, Mrs. Stella Bensel and Robert Luckett also have been invited to appear before the committee.

The committee probably will also investigate a number of individual cases. The work of the committee it is expected will take considerable time and when it is finally completed a report of the findings will be submitted to the Alexandria Bar Association.

WIRTH PLEADS FOR A CHANCE FOR GERMANY

Chancellor Predicts Ruin Involving Other European Nations

BUDGET IS WRECKED

Decline of German Mark Makes it Impossible to Estimate Resources With Accuracy

Berlin, Feb. 22.—"The vital question is: Will the world see, in time to avert a catastrophe, that the troubles which stare every nation in the face today are economic and not political. If this plain truth is grasped in time and dealt with from a standpoint of common sense and business principles, it will be impossible to begin the economic reconstruction of Europe. Failure to see it and failure to act not only make reconstruction impossible but disaster inevitable. It is a matter of time. That is, I think, putting the situation conservatively." The foregoing statement came from Dr. Wirth, Chancellor of the German Republic.

Forty-two years old, a bachelor, a Catholic, a man of tremendous physical power, big, ruddy, robust and virile—he talks simply and clearly. There is about him a transparent honesty, freely conceded even by his enemies. Of a wholly different type from the intellectually profound and highly cultured Dr. Rathenau. the Foreign Minister, Dr. Wirth vibrates with a vigor that vitalizes the whole German Government.

The son of a mechanic, he himself was a teacher of mathematics. Neither his friends nor his foes regard him as a man of extraordinary ability. Nor do they claim for him much initiative or originality. What they say is that, politically, he plays a straight game and has a clear head. He makes mistakes. but not from double-dealing.

"At Genoa," Dr. Wirth said, "Germany hopes to convince the world that the distressing and menacing economic conditions can not be remedied by either force or politics. They can only be solved by economic remedies. It is a matter of mathematics. The world can not be made sound again until the facts are faced with clear heads and freedom from passion and temper.

"It is clear, I think, to most thoughtful men. that there can be no restoration of the health of Europe unless the vanquished nations participate in the treatment as well as the victorious nations. These are things that, if given an opportunity. we believe we can show at Genoa in a way to convince intelligent men everywhere who want the truth.

"The heart of the whole matter. of course, is renarations. Until a sound solution of this problem is found and a basis established that will permit Germany to pay without bleeding to death we can not get on our feet and

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Masonic Memorial Temple As It Will Appear When Completed

Interior View of Temple Showing Memorial Hall in Which Will Be Set a Statue of The First President

WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

Washinton, Feb. 22.—The terrible disaster which befell the dirigible Roma with its consequent loss of life probably spells the deathknell of dirigibles so far as the Army Air Service is concerned, for it is not believed that Congress will be in any frame of mind to appropriate any further sums for such flying machines While the original cost of the Roma, which was purchased from the Italian government was but $200,000, the United States has spent probably a million dollars all told in having the big flying ship transported from Italy and placed in such shape for flying purposes as to be used as a training shop for student officers and men.

The explosion on the Roma recalls the accident which happened to the ZR-2 in England. This airship had been purchased by the United States and was on her final trial trip. She exploded in midair with a loss of life numbering 48.

The disaster to the Roma has shocked officers of the Army Air Service and government officials generally who have been particularly interested in the big flying boat. They had predicted great accomplishments for her but now their hopes have all been shattered through the wrecking of the giant balloon.

In an energetic attempt to check to some extent at least the smuggling of rum, narcotics and aliens into the United States along both sides of the Florida Peninsula and the Carolina coast, government agencies have combined for a law enforcement program unique in American history.

Conferences in Washington have determined upon a plan of action which provides for simultaneous attack by land, water and air upon the Twentieth Century freeboosters and pirates who have made a joke of previous efforts of Volstead law enforcement.

Col. L. B. Nutt, assistant prohibition Commissioner in charge of field forces recently sent to Florida a large detail of men. They are under trained leaders and instructions to ferret out the workings of the smuggling system. Today it was learned this force has been supplemented by aeroplanes drawn from army stores and by submarine chasers commissioned by the Coast Guard.

For 17 years there has existed under a Virginia charter the Oriental University, founded by Helmuth P. Holler, but the exact whereabouts of the school has never been known. It has carried an extensive business in granting diplomas and degrees, chiefly in the Orient. About all that a Chinese student had to do was to write to the university, enclosing the proper fee for registration, do a little correspondence work and get the degree. The State Department recently has received a number of letters asking about the standing of the university, but the Department never was able to find out.

The Postoffice Department, however, was able to find Holler who was accordingly arraigned before a U. S. Comisisoner on a charge of violating the postal regulations. He was released on $3,000 bond to await trial.

While a sub committee of the Ways and Means Committee is at work drafting a sales tax provision to add to the soldier bonus bill, Chairman Fordney and other leaders of the Committee are busy analyzing the strategic position of the bonus bill at this time.

There is no question but that such analyses show the bill to be in a bad way, with little prospect that it can be enacted into law unless someone does what seems to be the impossible and comes forward with a plan for raising revenue that is unobjectionable to a majority or unless some thing like $5,000,000,000 should unexpectedly appear in the coffers of the Treasury Department.

PARADE GIVEN BY FIREMEN PROVES SUCCESS

Friendship Veterans' Association Bring Out Old Engine

DRAWN BY MEMBERS

Veteran Members and Others Ride in Automobiles—Washington Was a Member of This Company.

A large number of persons this afternoon witnessed the parade given by the Friendship Veterans' Fire Association. Promptly at 2 o'clock the parade started, and the historic old hand engine, drawn by members of the association wearing uniforms similar to those worn in the days when Washington was a member of this company, was the cynosure of all eyes. The old hand reel buckets also attracted considerable attention. The uniformed men pulled the old reel and hand engine. The parade was the first of its kind given by this veterans' organization in many years, as heretofore they joined with various other patriotic organizations in parading on George Washington's Birthday.

The procession was headed by a platoon of police, followed by three bands of music—Camp Humphreys, Alexandria Machine Gun (A. L. I.) and Alexandria Band. Then came Mayor Duncan and Julian Y. Williams of the Chamber of Commerce, M. R. Norris, veteran president of the association, and A. D. Brockett, J. H. Mansfield. Mr. Haywood, J. Edward Shinn and J. Sid Douglas and others in automobiles. The uniforms of the members were greatly admired by the crowd that witnessed the procession. In addition to the officials and veterans in carriages, a number walked.

IN CONGRESS YESTERDAY

HOUSE

Met at noon and adjourned at 4:46 p. m until noon today.

Senator Poindexter, designated by the President under a standing rule of the Senate, will read Washington's farewell address.

Passed the legislative appropriation bill, carrying a total of $12,490,000.

Passed, by a vote of 50 to 14, the Bursum bill giving disabled reserve and volunteer officers the same retirement status as officers of the regular army after rejecting a motion to recommit the bill by a vote of 49 to 16.

The railroad valuation bill was made the unfinished business, and Senator Cummins, its author, devoted an hour to a comprehensive explanation of the measure.

Senator Lodge gave notice that after the reading of George Washington's farewell address today he would call up the Yap treaty for consideration.

President Harding transmitted a supplemental estimate for $200,000 for the Rock creek and Potomac parkway commission to carry out provisions of the bill passed Monday for the extension of the park system of the District.

The erection of a statue of Edmund Burke on public grounds in this city would be authorized by a resolution introduced by Senator Brandegee, of Connecticut.

To be members, with the Secretary of the Treasury, of the world war foreign debt commission the President yesterday nominated Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes, Secretary of Commerce Herbert E. Hoover, Senator Reed Smoot, of Utah,

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Annual K of C Mass Today

The annual memorial mass for Knights of Columbus was celebrated this morning at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Church. Solemn regular mass was celebrated by the Rev. E. J. Sweeney, St. Alovsisus chaplain, of the Washington chapter. The Rev. John Callahan will deliver the sermon at the services which will be under the auspices of the Washington chapter.

Cornerstone of Temple May Be Laid Nov. 4

Date However is Left Entirely in Hands of Board of Governors of Association

INTENSIVE DRIVE IN APRIL

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association Arranges For Charter—Pilgrimage to Mount Vernon This Afternoon and Wreath Placed on Washington's Tomb—Birthday Celebration Tonight at Elks' Hall Will Bring Twelfth Annual Session to a Close.

Now that the plans for the erection of the temple to the memory of George Washington the Mason have been approved by the twelfth annual meeting of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association in session here, it is proposed by some to lay the cornerstone of the edifice, which will cost $2,000,000, November 4, which will mark the anniversary of the initiation of George Washington into Masonry. The making of Washington a Mason took place in Fredericksburg, Va., November 4, 1752, by Fredericksburg Lodge No. 4. The event, therefore, would mark the 170th anniversary of Washington being a Mason. A definite date. however, will be decided later by the Board of Governors.

The association voted to have D. J. Howell & Son of Alexandria immediately start borings and soundings on George Washington Park for the proposed temple. This association has thirty acres at that place which will be the site of the temple. Work of laying the foundation will be started as soon as the architects can arrange for same.

It also was decided by the association to procure a charter from the State Corporation Commisison at once.

The session of the association will end this afternoon. Early this afternoon the delegates made a pilgrimage to Mount Vernon and in accordance with an annual custom placed a memorial wreath on Washington's tomb and a wreath also was placed by Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, Washington being first master of the Alexandria Lodge. Rev. Dr. Morton made opening prayer at today's session.

The delegates were accompanied on the journey by a number of local Masons, headed by Charles H. Callahan, local secretary of the association, who is the author of "Washington, the Man and the Mason." The structure, which will rank with the great Lincoln memorial, will be erected by the Masons of the United States, the plan being to raise a $1 per capita for every member of the fraternity throughout the country.

The present officers of the association are: Louis A. Watres, Pennsylvania, president; and the directors include Melvin M. Johnson, Massachusetts; W. L. Daniels, New Jersey; W. S. Farmer, New York; George Schoonover Iowa; Walter L. Stockwell, North Dakota; Andrew L. Randell, Texas; Charles C. Homer, Maryland; George M. Napier, Georgia.

Tonight the delegates attending the sessions of the association will be the guests of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons at its annual birthday celebration, which will be held in the Elks' Lodge room. Among those scheduled to make speeches are the following: James H. Price, grand master of Masons in Virginia; Louis A. Watres, president of the association; Melvin M. Johnson, past grand master of Massachusetts; G. M. Napier, past grand master of Georgia. Percy E. Clift, worshipful master, will preside.

An intensive campaign for raising the remainder of the fund will be launched April 1, it was announced at today's session. For this purpose the country has been divided off into ten divisions, and eight chairmen have been already named. The plans provide fo ra campaign somewhat similar to the liberty loan drives. In addition there will be chairmen for each State, as well as county or district chairmen and they will, of course, all work together. The chairmen for divisions named thus far are as follows: New England, Wilbur A. Scott, Providence, R. I.; North Atlantic, Thomas F. Penman. Pennsylvania: South Atlantic, J. Claude Keiper, Washington; Gulf, Jesse M. Brooks, Missouri; Southwestern, Andrew L. Randell, Texas; Great Lakes. James E. Dillon, Michigan; Central. James H. Cowles, Kentucky: Corn Belt, George L. Schoonover, Iowa. The association later will name chairmen for the Northern Pacific and South Pacific divisions.

The work this morning consisted of going over the articles of incorporation for the association.

Before adiourning this afternoon officers will be elected by the association to serve for the ensuing two years.

As heretofore stated, the cash in hand to date totals about $700,000, and this, with pledges given, will bring the grand total to about $1,500,000.

Local Masons feel proud that the association has adopted the plans, and Charles H. Callahan deserves much praise for his part in the work.

COMMISSION IS APPOINTED ON ALLIED DEBTS

Nomination by President Harding Prepares the Way for Action

FRANCE CANNOT PAY

British, However, Let It Be Understood That They Intend to Pay Last Dollar.

Washington, Feb. 22.—With the appointment by the President yesterday of the Refunding Commission, created by act of Congress this Government will open negotiations immediately through diplomatic channels for the funding of the entire indebtedness of European powers to the United States.

The President nominated Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes, Secretary of the Treasury Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover, Senator Reed Smoot of Utah, and Representative Theodore E. Burton, of Ohio, to be members of the commission.

This was the first time in the recollection of Administration officials that the President has nominated a member of the Senate who is to remain a member to an office requiring Senate confirmation. It has been the President's purpose from the outset to have both the House and Senate represented on the commission that is to deal with the foreign debt.

As soon as notified of their confirmation, the commissioners will meet and in all probability will elect Secretary Mellon chairman. Also invitations will be issued to the foreign governments which owe money to the United States and which are recognized by the Administration to send commissioners to Washington or to designate their diplomatic representatives here to negotiate with the American commission.

Approximately $11,000,000,000 is to be funded by this commission, including unpaid interest. The commission has no authority to cancel any part of the foreign debt or to relieve the debtors of any part of the interest.

At present this Government holds only demand notes of other governments, with no fixed date of maturity.

No interest has been paid in cash on any part of the debt. A few of the governments have given additional paper for the interest as it came due. Because of the failure to collect interest on the foreign obligations and because of the doubt as to whether the unpaid interest is to be compounded, there is some debate as to the exact amount of the debt.

It is well understood in Washington that neither France nor Belgium expect to repay America the money borrowed by them for the prosecution of the war. No word has come to this Government officially to this effect, but for months semi-official spokesmen of these governments have repeatedly intimated that they have nothing with which to pay.

The most significant statement which has come to the notice of the Washington authorities in that connection was the interview with Louis Loucheur, former Minister of Devastated Regions of France, in which he candidly notified America that France could not pay and need no longer disguise that fact.

British spokesmen, on the other hand, have let it be understood from the outset that they mean to repay the last dollar borrowed from the United States.

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WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

Today will be observed all over the United States as the anniversary of the birth of America's greatest son. Volumes have been written on the life of George Washington, and as the years go on their number will increase. It is of course difficult to add anything to what has already been said, but were we to attempt to accentuate some phase of Washington's character, it would be to call attention to his wonderful balance. Few men have attained his prominence in history who have not been more or less erratic, with vices or irregularities as pronounced as their virtues. It is this perfection of well-roundedness that prevents any startling trait or quality from showing his true elevation above his fellowmen. This is rare in the make-up of individuals, and the most noticeable other instance, perhaps, occurs in the case of Shakespeare. With no eccentricity, no exaggeration of personal quality or idiosyncracy, his life was passed among his contemporaries almost unnoticed, except by the favored few whose vocations made them his intimates. Washington's case was different, in that being a soldier and a statesman, his deeds were visible and affected his country in their immediate reaction. But it is difficult for foreigners to appraise him, even yet, at his true worth. Carlyle, one of the greatest historians of the 19th century, never did understand Washington, probably because he was the one modern man of his type. His analogy can only be found in the semi-legendary figures of ancient Greece and Rome.

Of all great Americans Washington is the most essentially American. So proud, so independent are we, so far as he is concerned, that we are indifferent to the opinions of the rest of the world. But each succeeding generation widens his fame and his deathless glory. We have read that his portrait is to be found in the remotest hamlets of almost inaccessible wildernesses. He is the accepted symbol, and his name the synonym of human liberty the world over.

INCOME TAX HINTS

Forms 1120 for reporting net incomes of corporations for the year 1921, now are available at the offices of collectors of International Revenue and deputy collectors.

The federal tax on income of corporations is devided into two parts income tax and excess profits tax. The income tax on corporations for 1921 is at the rate of 10 per cent of the net income subject to tax. For 1922 and subsequent years, as provided by the revenue act of 1921, the income tax is 12½ per cent.

In ascertaining the net income subject to the income (normal) tax the corporation is allowed certain specific credits, which includes (1) the amount of war and exces profit tax imposed by the United States for the same taxable year, and (2) interest war finance corporation which has been included in gross income. A specific credit of 2,000 is also allowed corporations whose net income for 1921 was $25,000 or less. Under the revenue act of 1918, this exemption was allowed all corporations regardless of the amount of net income. The act provides that if the net income is more than $25,000 the normal tax shall not exceed the tax which would be payable if the $2,000 credit was allowed, plus the amount of the net income in excess of $25,000.

Excess Profit Tax

The excess profits tax is computed on the basis of the relation of net income to the invested capital act of 1921. This tax is in addition to the normal income tax of 10 per cent. It based on the net income above specific exemption of $3,000 and 8 per cent of the invested capital for the taxable year, these amounts being nown as excess profits credits. The rates are the same for 1920, 20 per cent of net income in excess of the excess profits credits and not in excess of 20 per cent of the invested capital of the taxable year (known as first bracket) and 40 per cent of net income in excess of 20 per cent of the invested capital (second bracket). Invested capital for the taxable year is the capital actually paid in for stock outstanding, including the paid-in surplus and earned surplus or profits earned prior to the taxable year, which have been distributed. The term "invested capital" does not include borrowed capital.

Invested capital embraces two classes of assets; those known as "admissible assets" and those known as inadmissible assets." Admissible assets are those which produce income that is subject to income tax. Inadmissible assets are thase (other than obligations of the United States) which produce income that is exempt from income taxation. For example, cash, real estate, bills receivable and other tangible assets, which produce income that is subject to the income tax are admissible assets. Assets such as stocks and state or municipal bonds which produce income that is exempt from income tax are inadmissible assets.

Deduction From Invested Capital

The revenue act of 1921 requires that all corporations having inadmissible assets must deduct from invested capital "a percentage thereof equal to the percentage which the amount of inadmissible assets is of the total amount of admissible and inadmissible assets held during the taxable year". For example, the total assets of a corporation for 1921 was $200,000, of which $150,000 was in inadmissible assets and $50,000 in admissible assets. The average invested capital was $80,000. Applying the above rule the invested capital must be reduced 75 per cent (the percentage of the inadmissible assets, $150,000, to the total assets, $200,000). The reduced invested capital, therefore, will be $80,000 the invested capital less $60,000 (75 per cent of the invested capital) or $20,000. Where a corporation's income is reported on a cash receipts and disbursements basis, accrued items cannot be taken into consideration in computing its invested capital.

The payment on a stock dividend has no effect upon the amount of invested capital. The capitalization of current earnings does not increase the invested capital. Appreciation in good will and tangible property determmed by an appraisal against which a stock dividend was issued cannot be allowed as invested capital. The value of tangible property paid in for stock or shares in an amount as limited by Section 326 of the revenue act of 1921 may be included in invested capital.

The revenue act of 1921 provides that every corporation, joint stock company, association and insurance company not specificially exempt shall file a return. There shall be included in the return a statement which will enable the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to determine the portion of the earnings or profits (taxable or nontaxable) accumulated during the taxable year for which the return is made, which have been distributed or ordered to be distributed to its stockholders during such year.

A new and important provision of the revenue act of 1921 is that where a corporation is formed or availed of to prevent the imposition of a surtax upon its stockholders by permitting its profits to accumulate instead of being distributed as dividends, it may be subject to a tax of 25 per cent in addition to the normal tax of 10 per cent imposed on corporations. The stockholders, however, may agree with the Commissioner of Internal Revenue that the profits of the corporation shall be charged to them in the same manner as the distributive share of the partners and pay the tax as partners. When the corporation is a mere holding company or its profits accumulated beyond the normal needs of its business, this shall be prima facie evidence of a purpose to escape the surtax. A reasonable aclumplation of surplus, however is permitted.

Returns must be filed with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which the corporation's principal place of business is located. Corporations must file their returns on the basis of their existing accounting period which is established as a 12-month period ending on December 31 or upon the last day of some month other than December. A corporation cannot change its accounting period without the permission of the commissioner.

Clothing For The Baby

The amount and weight of a baby's clothing depend upon the season; but garments worn next to the skin, except the diaper, should be wholly or partly of wool, the lightest weight in summer and a heavier weight in winter. During the first few weeks a baby's abdomen should be supported by a flannel binder about six inches wide, applied snugly but not tightly enough to restrict either the abdomen or the chest walls. This band should be fastened with small safety pins at one side of the front, never in the back. It may be replaced later by a loosely fitting knitted band and worn for warmth only. Such a band is especially necessary if there is tendency to diarrhoea, but in no case should it be discarded before the 18th month. All garments except the diaper and the first flannel binder should hang from the shoulder and should fit loosely but well.

Clothing for babies should be of soft materials and should be simply made and easily washed, although as dainty and fine as the mother wishes or can afford. Even the first clothes should not be very long. The weight of very long clothing is an unnecessary burden and prevents free movement of the legs. Slips should never be over 28 inches long, and if the weather is warm may be even shorter. Draw strings in the back and sleeves and make the garment adaptable for the baby as he grows. At night an entire change of clothing should be made and a nightgown of warmer material substituted for the petticoat and slip. In cold weather this may be drawn in at the feet with a draw string while the baby is small to prevent his becoming uncovered, but in an older baby this restricts his freedom to kick and his nightclothes should therefore be made with feet. A baby's feet should be kept warm. While he is in long clothes they generally need no other covering, but if they should be cold to the touch they should be dressed. The best stockings are part wool, and in very cold feather short booties may be worn over them like shoes. Ordinarily bootees should be long and have a turn at the knee as the legs need to be kept warm also. For the older baby soft shoes or mocasins may be made from old kid gloves or from flannel, and as soon as he begins to walk he needs shoes with a firm sole. As soon as he is big enough to walk out of doors in bad weather he will need both overshoes and leggins. A baby's shirt should be at least part wool, and should open all the way down the front so as not to have to be pulled on over the head. A baby should be wrapped warmly if taken oue of doors in cold wather, but most children are dressed too warmly indoors, although in low temperatures they must be well protected.

The baby's diapers should be soft and absorbent. It may be necessary to wash new diapers several times before using in order to make them soft enough. A fine grade of cheesecloth is good material for the first diaper, and later cotton birdseye should be changed during the day whenever they are soiled or wet, and at night when the baby is taken up to be feed, and they should not be put on so tightly as to cause pressure. Care of the diapers is extremely important. They should be washed, boiled and thoroughly dried before they are used a second time. Diapers that have been wet but not soiled should not be dried and used again before being washed. Much work can be saved if pads of loosely woven absorbent material used inside the diaper to receive discharges. The pads can be burned, but even if washed the labor is less than washing full sized diapers. Like all of the infant's garments, diapers should be washed with pure white soap and without starch. Waterproof material used to cover the diaper is almost sure to irritate the baby's skin and is consequently harmful.

The baby, of course, may have as many clothes as his mother wishes or can afford, but the folowing is what the Children's Bureau says he really needs; 6 dozen pair of diapers, 3 knitted shirts, 3 flannel petticoats, 3 night gowns, 6 white cotton slips, a coat and several caps, 3 pair of long bootees or stockings, 3 sacques and 3 wraps of blankets.

Petersburg—"We, the jury, find the prisoner guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment, and fix his punishment at death," was the verdict of the jury sitting in the case of James (Bossy) Patterson, colored, charged with the murder of Irving Seid, merchant of this city, on the night of January 28.

Fredericksburg—The continued cold weather, which has been holding the thick coating of sleet on wires, has greatly hampered telephone linesmen in repairing damage. Chesapeake and Potomac lines from this city to Washington, Richmond, Norfolk and Quantico were put into service Friday.

Danville—Danville has the distinction of having furnished the donor of the largest gift received by the Near East Relief in its drive for $300,000 in Virginia since the New Year, according to Waller Holladay, treasurer of the Virginia organization. Mr. Holladay received $500 from the Danville man, whose name has not been made public.

DON'T MISTAKE THE CAUSE

Many Alexandria People Have Kidney Trouble and Do Not Know It.

Do you have backache?
Are you tired and worn out?
Feel dizzy, nervous and depressed?
Are the kidney secretions irregular?
Highly colored; contain sediment?
Likely your kidneys are at fault.
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Heed the warning; don't delay—
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Read this Alexandria testimony.

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Boy's $1.25 Flannel Night Robes 79c

A final Clearance Sale of winter merchandise Thursday Friday and Saturday, February, 23rd, 24th, and 25th at prices a great deal less than we could buy the same merchandise for today. If you are in need of any of the items mentioned here act quickly, as the quantity is limited.

Three navy blue and black $25.00 suits, clearance price $10.98

7 $39.50 navy blue and black suits. Clearance price suit $14.98

3, $49.50 navy blue and black suits. Clearance price suit $19.50

4, $59.50 and $65.00 navy blue and black suits Clearance price suit $24.98

One $25.00 black coat size 40. Clearance price $10.98

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Twelve Women's $4.98 heavy bath robes. Clearance Price each $3.25

Six Women's $6.98 and $7.50 heavy bath robes. Clearance price each $4.98

$1.69 flannelette kimonos Clearance price 98c

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One $15.00 navy blue serge dress, size 38. Clearance price $6.98

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Three $25.00 cloth dresses Clearance price $10.98

Four $35.00 & $39.50 cloth dresses. Clearance price $14.98

One $49.50 Jersey dress Clearance price $19.50

Four $5.98 children's coats, sizes 3 to 6 years. Clearance price each $2.98

Nine $8.50 Children's coats, sizes 3 to 6 years. Clearance price $3.98

One $12.50 red Chinchilla coat, size 3 years. Clearance price $5.98

Five Misses $9.50 coats sizes 8 to 14 years. Clearance price $3.98

Seven Misses $10.98 and $12.50 coats sizes 8 to 14 years. Clearance price, each $4.98

Four $15.00 and $17.50 Misses coats sizes 8 to 14 years. Clearance price each $5.98

Twenty pairs $3.98 large plaid blankets. Clearance price each .. $2.69

Seven $2.98 heavy comforts. Clearance price each $1.49

Six $3.50 heavy comforts. Clearance price each $1.98

One $25.00 silk comfort, wool filled. Clearance price $18.50

One $15.00 silk comfort, wool filled. Clearance price $10.98

Women's $6.50 wool coat sweaters. Clearance price each $3.98

Women's $10.00 wool coat sweaters Clearance price each $5.98

Misses $3.98 navy blue serge skirts. Clearance price each $2.19

Misses $4.98 navy blue serge middies. Clearance price each $2.98

Children's 98c outing flannel gowns and pajamas. Clearance price each 69c

Children's $1.00 hats and tams Clearance price each 49c

Women's 59c heavy vests and pants. Clearance price each 39c

Women's 98c outing flannel gowns. Clearance price each 79c

Women's $1.98 wool underskirts. Clearance price each $1.25

Women's $1.50 outing flannel gowns. Clearance price each 98c

Final Clearance of Men's and Boy's Furnishings.

Men's $1.00 fleece lined underwear. Clearance price 69c

Men's $2.00 gray wool underwear. Clearance price $1.39

Men's $2.50 gray wool underwear. Clearance price $1.69

Men's $3.00 gray wool underwear. Clearance price $2.25

Men's $1.50 fleece lined union suits. Clearance price $1.00

Men's $2.00 ribbed union suits Clearance price $1.39

Men's $2.50 ribbed union suits Clearance price $1.69

Men's $4.00 Munsing gray wool union suits. Clearance price $2.98

Men's $5.00 Duofold gray wool union suits. Clearance price $3.50

Men's $6.00 Munsing gray wool union suits. Clearance price $4.00

One lot men's $2.50 and $3.00 gray wool double breasted undershirts, now $1.75

Men's $2.50 coat sweaters. Clearance price $1.50

Men's $3.50 coat sweaters Clearance price $2.50

Men's $5.00 coat sweaters clearance price $3.50

Men's $6.00 and $6.50 coat sweaters. Clearance price .. $4.98

Men's $8.00 coat sweaters. Clearance price $5.50

Men's $9.00 and $10.00 coat sweaters, Clearance price ... $6.50

Men's $1.25 outing flannel night robes Clearance price 79c

Men's $1.75 outing flannel pajamas. Clearance price $1.25

Men's $2.50 outing flannel pajamas. Clearance price $1.69

Men's $2.50 flannel shirts, collars attached. Clearance price $1.50

Men's $3.50 flannel shirts, collars attached. Clearance price $2.50

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. Alberta Regester Duffey and Eldridge Regester Duffey are the guest of friends in Baltimore.

Mid-week prayer meetings will be held in the various churches of the city tonight. All who can possibly do so are urged to attend.

Miss Marie Monroe, of this city, played this evening at the Martha Washington Dance given by the Friendship Club of Washington.

Hundreds of cherries were sold this morning by the young ladies and girls. The money realized from the sale of these artificial cherries will go to help swell the playground fund.

Canton Alexandria, No. 1, I. O. O. F., will give a dance in Odd Fellows' Hall, North Colubus street tomorrow night. Music will be furnised by McWiliams' orchestra.

There will be a mid-week service at the Methodist Protestant Church this evening at 7:45 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. Robert Browne, will have for his subject, "The Life of a Great Soldier."

The Oriole basket ball team will play their 26th game in the Armory tonight when they meet the Brookland Indians The Orioles are claiming the junior championship of the city, having defeated all teams eligible.

Several hundred of Washington's Boy Scouts passed through this city this morning on their annual excursion to Mt. Vernon. The boys will spend the day in camp on the Mount Vernon grounds and return to Washington tonight.

The girls' basket ball team from A. H. S. went to Fredericksburg last night and returned victorious bv the score of 22 to 9. Both teams played good games but the Alexandria guards proved to be too much for the opponents.

Funeral services for Thomas Dewey, who died Sunday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Peyton Ballenger, 1814 Duke street, took place this afternoon from Sharon Chapel, Fairfax County Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, and burial was in the cemetery at Sharon.

All is in readiness for the Birthnight Ball of the Mt. Vernon Chapter D. A. R., which is to be given in Elks' Hall tonight. The dancers are again informed that they are expected to come in Colonial costume, although it will not be required. Many out-of-town guests are expected for the occasion.

A dance will be given in the High School Auditorium, Friday night, February 24, by the Junior Class to the Senior Class. It is understood that members of the alumni and the student body are invited to attend although admission will be by card only. McWilliams orchestra of Washington has been employed to furnish the music.

Hope Hampton is playing in "Star Dust" at the Richmond today. This picture is reported to be a most excellent one that was suggested by Fannie Hurst's famous novel by the same name. At the Ingomar, Mary Miles Minter is the star of an all-star cast in "Tillie." The Idle Hour has its feature, Neal Hart's latest production, "Range Lands."

Baseball microbes that always come with the spring-like atmosphere have already taken effect upon one of the junior athletic clubs of the city, who make announcement of the first sand lot practice of the season. These fellows, who have caught the baseball fever are the members of the Crystal Athletic Club They ask that all their players report for the initial practice on the High School grounds Sunday afternoon

Out In First Round

Leading during the first portion of the game, Alexandria High School lost out in the first lap of the South Atlantic Championship tournament in Washington yesterday afternoon. Eastern High defeated the local boys by the score of 18 to 12.

The Alexandrians, on a strange floor, put up an excellent game and had the Eastern boys where they wanted them until the last period. The game is reported to have been the best contests of the day at the Coliseum.

Lineup and summary.

Eastern	Positions	Alexandria
H. Roudabush	L. F.	Dreifus
Dornin	R. F	Midkiff.
Seigfred	Center	Pettit
Cardwell	L. G.	Dyson
Ritterbush	R. G.	Ramage

Substitutions: Eastern: Hook for Dornin, O'Dea for Seigfried, Duncan for Cardwell, Alexandria; Pohl for Dyson, Field goals—Eastern: Seigfreid, O'Dea (4), Cardwell (2), Alexandria: Dreifus, Midkiff (2). Goals from fouls—Eastern: O'Dea (4 in 11). Alexandria: Pettit (5 in 13), Midkiff (1 in 2), Dreifus (missed one). Referee—Mr. Robins. Umpire—Mr. Harmon. Time of periods—10 minutes each.

Brazil is as large as all of Europe.

Africa embraces nearly one-fourth of the area of the globe.

Bible Thought for Today

I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him.

—Psalm 91:35.

NEWS IN THE GAZETTE 108 Years Ago

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE

Commercial and Political

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1814

CLOUDS IN THE EAST

(Extract from an editorial appearing in the Gazette of the above date.)

The Legislature of Massachusetts has passed a Law, enacting: that no keeper of a jail in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts receive or keep in confinement any prisoners committed by any other authority than the Judicial authority of the United States; and requiring the said keepers, to discharge from confinement, all prisoners of war, committed to jails within the Commonwealth under the Executive authority of the United States. Remonstrances against the war and em-

REAL WORK ON BONUS STARTS

Ways and Means Committee Will Begin Their Work Today

Secretary Mellon is Still Against Measure But Prefers Sales Tax to Bond Issue

Washington, Feb. 22.—The seven Republicans of the House Ways and Means Committee who are charged with solving the problem of financing the soldiers' bonus expect to get down to brass tacks today. Chairman Fordney said late yesterday after the committeemen had had another general discussion of the whole question with Secretary Mellon.

The Secretary of the Treasury was heard behind closed doors, but he was understood to have taken substantially the same position that he did at the open hearings two weeks ago when he reiterated his opposition to a bonus at this time, but declared that if such legislation was to be passed it should be financed by a sales or some other form of taxtion.

Asked what the Treasury would do if Congress passed a bonus bill as a general charge against the Treasury, Mr Mellon was said to have replied that the amount would be paid by issuing short term certificates He opposed this form of financing, however, on the ground that it might affect the interest rates on the refunding of certificates due in 1923. Some members of the committee quoted the Secretary as saying in substance that as between a sales tax or bond issue for the bonus he would recommend the former.

Members of the subcommittee would not anticipate committee action, but the general belief at the Capitol continued to be that some form of sales or manufacturers' tax would be recommended. It was pointed out in some quarters that with President Harding opposed to both the oriignal tax program suggested and to the issue of bonds the field had been narrowed to a sales tax or the drafting of a measure that would be a general charge on the treasury

This last plan is supported by some Republican leaders of the House and also by those who are leading the opposition to a sales tax. Representative Frear, Wisconsin, declared in a formal statement last night that he believed he spoke the sentiment of "a 100 Republican members of the House to the effect that a sales tax will be opposed or any rule seeking to impose it on the members." He explained that his announcement was based on the fact that 70 Republicans had signed a petition against any sales tax and that many others would sign.

SCOUTS ORGANIZED

Methodist Protestant Church Girls Form At Meeting Last Night

The girls of the Methodist Protestant Sunday School have organized a troop of Girl Scouts. Last night in the lecture room twenty three members was enrolled into membership. These Scouts are under Rev. Robert Browne, pastor, who saw thirteen years service as major in the British Army, Norman Roberts and Howard Arnold who are veterans of the world war All girls from 10 years of age and up are invited to join this movement. Girls come out and join and learn something that will be of use to you in years to come. Make your body healthy and your carriage erect.

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NOTICE

Bibles of various kinds from the American Bible Society are now in the homes of the people on every street in Alexandria. Those I have missed can speak to their neighbors, call 268 or write me at Mt. Ida, Alexandria, Va. These Bibles are sold at cost and you not only get the authorized text and a splendid book in every way but also for much less money. So I say please co-operate with the American Bible Society.

Your friend,
Rev. D. E. Day,
Representative of the American Bible Society in Virginia.
45-6p.

Russia, prior to the world war, had an area of 8,647,657 square miles and was the most extensive dominion in the world.

Plans Flight From France

New York, Feb. 22.—A nonstop trans-Atlantic airplane flight from France to the United States will be attempted in April by Louis Gaubert. He is a one-armed veteran of the world war. He sailed for France today on the steamship Rochambeau.

Gaubert, who lost his left arm in an accident in civil life before the war, won the distribution in the French air forces of bringing down, on October 12, 1914, the second German plane destroyed. Since the war he has been engaged in commercial flying from Roosevelt Field, Long Island.

IN CONGRESS Yesterday

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and Representative Theodore E. Burton, of Ohio, also a long list of postmasters.

Favorable reports were made from the District committee on the suffrage bill providing for the election of a delegate in Congress and the constitutional amendment resolution giving Congress power to provide for the election by residents of the District of Columbia of delegates and senator and members of the electoral college.

A reservation to the four-power Pacific treaty providing that no "adjustments or findings" reached under its provisions shall be binding without the consent of Congress was debated for two hours by the foreign relations committee without action, but with a majority of members indicating thieir general approval.

The extradition treaty between the United States and Costa Rica signed January 21, 1922, was ordered favorably reported a resolution authorizing the President to revive the patent convention of 1909 between the United States and Germany.

HOUSE

Met at noon and adjourned at 4:10 p. m. until noon today.

Secretary Weeks, of the War Department, made public an offer from the Alabama Power Company in connection with the Muscle Shoals nitrate plant, which Mr. Weeks transmitted to both houses of Congress as "worthy of consideration."

Included in Secretary Weeks' letter of transmittal were twelve comments on the offer in explanation of its various features.

Before the postoffice committee representatives of many of the principal aircraft builders indorsed a measure by Chairman Steenerson authorizing the Postmaster General to contract for the delivery of mail between various points in the country by airplane.

Protest against the proposed sale by the Shipping Board of virtually its entire fleet was made in the House by Representative Davis, of Tennessee, Democratic member of the merchant marine committee on the grounds that there was no market.

"It is certain that under existing depressed conditions and the very low ebb of world shipping,' said Mr. Davis. "the ships can not be sold at anything like their real value or what they would bring when conditions improve. All the authorities agree there is no adequate market now."

LOST!

250 Pimples, 736 Blackheads and 3 Boils!

No reward is offered, because they are lost forever! No question will be asked, except one question, "How did you lose them?" There is but one answer,—"I cut out new fad treatments and guesswork; I used one of the most powerful blood-cleansers, blood-purifiers and flesh-builders known, and that is S. S. S.! Now my face is pinkish, my skin clear as a rose, my cheeks are filled out and my rheumatism, too, is gone!" This will be your experience, too, if you try S. S. S. It is guaranteed to be purely vegetable in all its remarkably effective medicinal ingredients. S. S. S. means a new history for you from now on! S. S. S. is sold at all drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is the more economical.

Found,—that glorious feeling that comes with a clear, pure, ruddy complexion.

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50c Values For Thursday 50c Values

This wonderful day of value giving has become a fixed idea in the minds of Alexandria Shoppers. Each Thursday shows a gathering of bigger and better BARGAINS. For your convenience we have tomorrow centered all 50c DAY items in the

BASEMENT

Knitted Scarfs, all colors	50c	New Spring Cretonne, 2 1-2 yards	50c
LadiesSuedene Gloves, $1.00 value	50c	Cotton Crepe, all colors, 3 yards	50c
Fine Ribbed Undervests, 3 for	50c	Unbleached Cotton, 4 yards	50c
Curtain Scrim, fancy design, 5 1-2 yards	50c	Jersey Knit Bloomers, 2 for	50c
Kraft Window Shades, 3 for	50c	Oil Cloth 1 1-2 yards	50c
Apron Gingham, 5 yards	50c	Ladies Lisle Hose, 4 pairs	50c
Fancy Outing Flannel, 4 yards	50c	Glass Tumblers, 1 dozen	50c
Hair Bow Ribbon, 2 yards	50c	Baking Dishes, regular 75c value	50c
Mixing Bowls, 59c value	50c	Linoleum Mats, 3 for	50c
Crochet Cotton, O. N. T., 11 spools	50c	Kimona Outings, 2 1-2 yards	50c
Aluminum Pans, 2 for	50c	Huck Towels, 25c quality, 3 for	50c
Boy's Heavy Ribbed Stockings, 2 pair	50c	Men's Lisle thread socks, 2 for	50c
Children's Knitted Leggins, 3 pairs	50c	White Voiles, 29c quality, 2 yards	50c
Men's Leather Mitts, 3 pairs	50c	Linen Lace, 5 1-2 yards	50c

Extra Size
TURKISH TOWEL
75c value
Tomorrow
50c

WINTER UNDERWEAR

Clearance Sale of Women's, Misses and Children's Pants and Vests, values to $1.50 for 50c

PERCALES

Fancy Stripes, Neat Figures, 2 1-2 yards 50c

FOR BABY

Long and short dresses, values to 75c
Special 50c

2 pair baby pants 50c

VETERANS BUREAU

Words has just been received by officials of the Veterans' Bureau here of the release from Moundsville of a disabled former service man who was serving eight years for dangerous assault upon a war slacker. The former soldier, whose name has been withheld, has been returned to the custody of his mother, near Wheeling, West Virginia, where he has been given employment by a local firm.

This case is one of several interesting ones straightened out in the recent clean-up campaign conducted by the Veterans' Bureau. The man spoken of was found in the Moundsville Penitentiary suffering from a disability received in the war. He had served nearly two years of his sentence.

Under instructions from the Fourth District of the Veterans' Bureau an investigation of the case was made and it was found that the soldier had a widowed mother and a widowed sister at home normally dependent upon him and further he had been taunted by the alleged slacker for having served in the war and been wounded. The trial judge was appealed to and recommended a pardon, which has since been secured. The slacker has since recovered from his injuries.

Another interesting case that has recently come to the attention of the bureau is that of a Greek restaurant keeper, a war hero, of Norfolk, Virginia. For nearly three years this man, whose name is Hercules Korgis, had failed to apply for compensation for a wound in his neck resulting from a machine gun bullet. Korgis was a Sargeant in L Company of the 23rd Infantry. For a number of months he told friends America had been good enough to him, but finally he was induced to go before the clean-up squad in Norfolk, where he was given a rating of ten per cent dating back to discharge. His accrued compensation amounted to approximately three hundred dollars.

Sargeant Norgis had received two citations during the war. In one he was commended for leading a patrol that was surprised by two machine guns. He kept part of the patrol firing from ambush and with the rest flanked the machine guns, attacking with hand grenades and took both crews prisoners.

The second citation pointed out that he went to the rescue of a section of an attacking party that had been demoralized, exposing himself voluntarily to fire, and led them safely to cover where he re-organized them and resumed the attack, contributing materially to the later success of the entire attacking party.

The most amusing incident of the clean-up drive was when a West Virginia hillsman came into the office of the Veterans' Bureau and begged Manager Allen not to educate his son Holly Ervin.

"My boy is always been a good boy," pleaded the elder Erwin "Please don't give him no learning and make him turn bad."

Virginia Wool Growers Enthusiastic Over Pooling

At the Annual Meeting of the Virginia Co-operative Sheep and Wool Growers' Association just held in Lynchburg, the benefits of pooling wool, from the activities of the Association thus far, were seen to be so great that the growers expect to immensely increase pooling and continue methods of grading and selling their products.

It was showed that by the method of pooling and grading, growers were getting on an average of three cents per pound for their wool more than by selling in the usal old way, while in some instances they got as much as 6½ cents per pound more.

Suitable resolutions recognizing the work of the County Agents, Division of Markets of the State Department of Agriculture, and Extension Division of the State Agricultural College, as being absolutely necessary, were adopted. Particularly did the Association resent the proposal by the joint committee of the General Assembly to practically eliminate County Agent work in Virginia, since these men have proved their great value to the farmers and public.

George T. Willingmyre, Specialist in Marketing Wool, and C. Nagel, Investigator in Warehousing, both of the U. S. Bureau of Markets, were in attendance and gave some very helpful advice about the activities of the Association. They expressed satisfaction of progress of the Association, and assured those present of such assistance as they will be able to render in furthering the activities of this organization.

The Association will make arrangements immediately for grading and storing all the wool put in its care during the coming season, so that the growers who pool their wool this year will be able to get a large part of the value of it when it is received by the Association.

A resolution showing the great loss in the death of J. F. Kirkpatrick, a member of the Board of Directors, was adopted, and new Directors elected as follows: O. I. Thomas, Round Hill, Loudoun County, Va.; M. W. Miller, Bridgewater, Rockingham Co., Va.; Wm. S Moore, Lexinbgton, Rockbridge County, Va.; T. M. Painter, Pulaski County, Va.; Geo. A. Lambert, Rural Retreat. Wythe Co., Va.; and James W. Graves. Richmond, Henrico County, Va.

REAL CHARITY

Richmond, Va., Feb. 22—Without hands with which to work, yet with a boundless sympathy and love for the unfortunate children of a martyred race, one woman who does not want her name divulged, has sent the Near East Relief two dresses which, incredible as it seems, she made herself, without any outside asistance, Oliver J. Sands, State Chairman of the Near East Relief, stated today. The benefactor of two destitute little orphans overseas lost both of her hands in an accident, one being cut off at the wrist and the other a little below the elbow.

According to the letter, written by a friend, the woman made the dresses entirely by herself, using machines to cut and stiten, sew on the buttons and make button holes. Her work is declared perfect in every detail by Mr. Sands. During the war she is said to have made several similar dresses for the Red Cross.

"This spirit shows what can be done even by those who themselves are terribly handicapped." Mr. Sands said in commenting upon this unusal case of devotion to the cause of the oppressed. "If Virginians would rally to the cause as this one woman has, it would only be a matter of days before the $500,000 which is being raised in this State, would be in hand."

Old clothes sent the Near East Relief in care of Mr. Sands, American National Bank Building, Richmond, will be received gratefully, Mr. Sands said.

Radio Amateurs Deplore Present Restrictions

—The announcement from Washington that President Harding, a sa hrst act after the Peace Conference, had called a conference on radio legislation between radio experts and Secretary of Commerce Hoover, has been accepted by radio amateurs throughout the country as an answer to their plea for more liberal laws in their behalf than the present drastic one-man rulings that, although now in effect, have not been enacted into law.

H.Gernsback, editor of *Radio News*, a pioneer of twenty years standing in the radio field, and manager of the Radio League of America, a free membership organization of 70,000 amateurs, said today the recent ruling of the Department of Commerce which prohibits amateurs from broadcasting has brought forth a volume of protest from the members of his organization who claim that the art and great industry in which they have been largely instrumental in developing, will, unless more liberal legislation is afforded them, be greatly retarded.

As early as 1908 Mr. Gernsback had foretold o fthe need of satisfactory wireless legislation. In an article in Modern Electrics in November of that year he pointed out that a wireless law wa ssure to be enacted within a short time and that then was the proper time for the amateur operators to promulgate a law that would be satisfactory in the future.

For this purpose, as well as for the protection of the amateurs' interests, the Wireless Association of America was organized and later went on the record as being in favor of wireless legislation that would further the development of the art and industry through generalizing its uses.

Soon after the famous Roberts bill was introduced. This bill was being advanced by the now defunct "wireless trust." Through the efforts of Mr. Gernsback, as head of the Wireless Association of America, its 8,000 members registered protests against this bill which wa splanned to curb the activities of radio amateurs, who even then were taking a firm hold of the art. At Mr. Gernsback's instance several representatives were sent to Washington to fight the passage of the measure, which they did with no little effort. If the bill had become a law it would have sealed the doom of the amateur, and radio telephony in general, since the amateur has been largely instrumental in developing it to its present stage of popularity and usefulness.

Mr. Gernsback's article in 1910 suggesting various measures of regulations fo rwireless operators, was received by the pres sas the first constructive matter published and as such received its support.

Mr .Gernsback has again been on his feet to ward off unsatisfactory rulings against radio amateurs.

On January 19 he received from Arthur Batcheller, U. S. Radio Inspector of the New York district, a letter asking that publicity be given in *Radio News* to a recent ruling of C. Huston, Assistant Secretary of Commerce, which instructed Mr. Batcheller to issue radio licenses with the following restriction:

"This station isnot licensed to broadcast weather reports, market reports, music, concerts, speeches, news, or similar information or entertainment."

This virtually pronibited broadcasting by radio amateurs. Mr. Gernsback on th same day wrote to Mr. Huston asking for further information on this restriction in that it affected the 70,000 members of the Radio League of America, of which he was manager.

He pointed out in that letter that the members of the Radio League would feel very strongly about the restriction in that it would retard radio's further development and that there wa sno explicit law on broadcasting that called for this ruling. He further pointed out that broadcasting by amateurs on wave lengths under 200 meters would not interfere with commercial stations that operate on 360-meter wave lengths and that the ruling could have no other effect upon radio than oneof retarding its development.

In response to Mr. Gernsback's letter Mr. Huston wrote that "The new regulation is not intended to permanently prohibit amateur radio stations performing a broadcasting service, but to prevent the indiscriminate use of any amateur stations for service of this kind. . . . It is to arrange some satisfactory plan for the amateurs. At present the following plans are under consideration: First, authorizing amateurs desiring the broadcast, if such broadcasting is of public benefit, to use the wave length of 200 meters at certain specified times, so as not to interfere with the existing amateur radio telegraph service; second, to all amateurs to broadcast, only on 175 or 225 meters, leaving the 200-meter wave length open to regular communication service. If it is decided to authorize broadcasting on 175 meters this authority can be included in their present regular amateur station licenses. If 225 meters is authorized special amateur station licenses will be necessary.

The situation now seems to rest on the point of whether the Department of Commerce can legally restrict the use of amateur stations for broadcasting while legislation to that effect is only being considered, and how long will their stations be thus restricted pending the enactment of the proposed legislation, which if it follows the usual course from pigeon hole to pigeon hole may keep their stations silent for months or even years.

Mr. Gernsback says that the Radio League of America is lined up on a policy of "free air" and the use of all amateur stations for broadcasting that are properly equipped for it and keep within the 200-meter wave length so as not to interfere with government and commercial stations.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of my dear husband, SYLVESTER SCOTT, who departed this life one year ago today, February 22, 1921.

He has gone from his dear ones
His children, his wife,
Whom he willingly toiled for,
And loved as his life.
Oh! God! how mysterious and
How strange are thy ways,
To take from us this loved one
In the best of his days.

45-1p. By his Wife

DIED

ALEXANDER—At her home, 521 North St. Asaph Street, Tuesday, February 21, at 8:25 p. m., ELLEN ALEXANDER survived by sister Lizzie Ballard and granddaughter, Mary Green. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made. 45-1p.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:
In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

William Ferguson, complainant vs. Jessie Ferguson, defendant. In Chancery No. 2047.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without just cause or excuse, for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
85-4wp Clerk.
R. B. Washington, P. Q.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:
In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

Agnes Matilda Reynolds, complainant vs. James Reynolds, defendant. In Chancery No. 2037.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
21-4wp Clerk.
R. B. Washington, P. Q.

CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, BUILDING, PLUMBING, ELECTRICAL HEATING AND VENTILATION
Alex., Va., Feb. 7, 1922.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office, Room 8, City Hall, until 4 o'clock p. m., February 25, 1922, for constructing a 17 room school building on the High School lot facing West Street, as per drawings nad specifications now on file in the office of the City Engineer of the City of Alexandria. Specifications and forms of proposal may be obtained at Room 8, City Hall. The City Council reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

Edmund F. Ticer,
Chairman Committee on Finance.
e o d to Feb. 23.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1922.
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North Columbus Street
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McWilliams' Orchestra
44-3c

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Alexandria Real Estate and Mortgage Corporation will be held at its office, the Chamber of Commerce, Fairfax and Cameron Streets, Alexandria, Va on Friday, February 24, 1922, at 4 o'clock p. m.
42-5c Wm. P. Woolls, Secretary.

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Arrangements have been made with the druggists of this city to give every reader of this paper a large $1.00 package of Genuine Yeast Vitamine Tablets absolutely free with every purchase of a bottle of Nuxated Iron.
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Classified Columns

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WANTED—TO HEAR FROM OWNER having farm or unimproved land for sale. John J. Black, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin. 42 and 43-2p

HOUSEKEEPER, EXPERIENCED. Hotels, boarding houses, desires position. Mrs. Barry, 1722 13th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. 43-4p.

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ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—LARGE FURNISHED room, centrally located; all modern conveniences Apply 111 North Alfred St. 44-3p

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FOR RENT—CHOICE APARTMENT, furnished or unfurnished, 603 Queen Street. Apply: Mrs. Wells, 603 Queen Street, 1st floor. 18—tf.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—ON SOUTH PATRICK street, No. 338, 6-room frame house on corner. Price $1,200. Clyde B. Lanham, 107 S. Royal St. 44-2p

FOR SALE—ONE 7-ROOM FRAME house, with bath and electric lights, front and back porch. Bellefont Ave., Del Ray. Call 664-J 2. 44-3p

FOR SALE, CHEAP—ONE BABY CARriage and one lullaby. Call at 311 S. Pitt Street. 3t-43-3p.

MISCELLANEOUS

DANCE—GIVEN BY CANTON ALEXandria No. 1, I. O. O. F., Odd Fellows' Hall, N Columbus St., Thursday, February 23, 1922. Admission 68 cents; war tax, 7 cents; total, 75 cents. McWilliams Orchestra. 44-3c

NOTICE—OWING TO THE AMOUNT of wood on hand I have reduced the price to $10 a cord, or $2.50 a quarter cord. H. M. Struder, 215 Gibbon St. phone 1025-W 42-6p

I have finished making a large assortment of trousers. See my line of spring samples for that new suit.
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38-26c

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	Washington-Richmond	
7:57 a. m.	(Local)	11:47 a. m.
	New York-Atlanta-Jacksonville	
9:12 a. m.	(S. A. L.)	8:30 p. m.
	New York-Florida	
9:47 a. m.	(A. C. L.)	6:11 a. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
k10:20 a. m.	(Local)	8:04 a. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
12:02 p. m.	(Express)	2:16 p. m.
	Washington-Fredericksburg	
z3:07 p. m.	(Local)	8:04 a. m.
	New York-Augusta-Florida	
3:32 p. m.	(A. C. L.)	12:05 p. m.
	Washington-Atlanta-Birmingham	
5:17 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	11:55 a. m.
	Washington-Richmond	
5:27 p. m.	(Local)	*5:52 p. m.
	New York-Columbia	
8:12 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	7:18 a. m.
	New York-Florida	
9:57 p. m.	(A. C. L.)	8:15 a. m.
	New York-Tampa-St. Petersburg	
10:02 p. m.	(S. A. L.)	8:28 a. m.

(k)—Sundays only.
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Southern Railway System

South.		North.
3:27 a.m.	Memphis Special	12:13 a.m.
*3:37 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg (Local)	8:43 p.m.
7:37 a.m.	Washington-Danville (Local)	5:15 p.m.
8:37 a.m.	Washington-Danville (Express)	
9:17 a.m.	New York-New Orleans	10:43 p.m.
9:22 a.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg (Local)	9:18 p.m.
3:47 p.m.	Birmingham Special	12:18 p.m.
4:12 p.m.	Washington-Harrisonburg (Local)	11:06 a.m.
4:22 p.m.	Wash'ton-Charlottesville (Local)	10:58 a.m.
5:22 p.m.	Washington-Warrenton (Local)	7:58 a.m.
7:17 p.m.	N. Y.-Augusta-Asheville	7:13 a.m.
10:07 p.m.	Washington-Atlanta	7:23 a.m.
10:17 p.m.	Chattanooga Limited	7:28 a.m.
11:12 p.m.	New York-New Orleans (Limited)	8:23 a.m.

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S. D. Shelton, Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va.
S. E. Burgess, Div. Pass. Agent, Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON-VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO. NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Winter schedule of trains between Washington, Alexandria and Mt. Vernon, effective 1:00 A. M., December 1, 1921. Daily except Sunday and holidays.

Leave Washington for Alexandria, Mt. Vernon and intermediate stations: A. M., 6:00, 6:15*, 6:35, 6:50, 7:05, 7:10, 7:15*, 7:20, 7:25, 7:33, 7:36, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:15*, 8:30, 8:45, 9:00*, 9:15, 9:30*, 9:45, 10:00*, 10:15, 10:30*, 10:45, 11:00*, 11:15, 11:30*, 11:45, 12:00* noon, P. M., 12:15, 12:30*, 12:45, 1:00*, 1:15, 1:30*, 1:45, 2:00*, 2:15, 2:30*, 2:45, 3:00*, 3:15, 3:30*, 3:45, 3:53, 4:00*, 4:05, 4:10, 4:15, 4:20, 4:25, 4:30, 4:35, 4:40, 4:45, 4:50, 4:55, 5:00*, 5:05, 5:10, 5:15, 5:20, 5:25, 5:35, 5:43, 5:50, 5:55, 6:00*, 6:05, 6:10, 6:15, 6:20, 6:30, 6:45, 7:00*, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00*, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00*, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00*, 10:20, 10:40, 11:00, 11:15, 11:25*, 11:45, 12:15, 12:50.

*Mt. Vernon trains.

Leave Alexandria for Washington and intermediate stations: A. M., 5:00, 5:40, 6:00, 6:15, 6:30, 6:40, 6:45, 6:55, 7:00, 7:10, 7:17, 7:25, 7:35, 7:40, 7:42, 7:45, 7:50, 7:55, 8:00, 8:05, 8:10, 8:15, 8:20, 8:30, 8:45, 8:55, 9:10, 9:26, 9:40, 9:55, 10:10, 10:25, 10:40, 10:55, 11:10, 11:25, 11:40, 11:55.—P. M., 12:10, 12:25, 12:40, 12:55, 1:10, 1:25, 1:40, 1:55, 2:10, 2:25, 2:40, 2:55, 3:10, 3:25, 3:40, 3:55, 4:10, 4:15, 4:23, 4:35, 4:40, 4:45, 4:52, 4:55, 5:00, 5:05, 5:15, 5:20, 5:25, 5:30, 5:35, 5:40, 5:45, 5:55, 6:10, 6:25, 6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00, 10:20, 10:40, 10:55, 11:15, 11:40, 12:15.

Leave Mt. Vernon for Alexandria, Washington and intermediate stations: A. M., 6:15, 7:15, 8:30, 9:12, 10:00, 11:00, 12:00 noon; P. M. 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00, 7:15, 8:15, 9:15, 10:15, 11:15, 12:30x

Leave Alexandria for Mt. Vernon, daily except Sundays and holidays: A. M., 5:55, 6:45, 7:45, 8:49, 9:30, 10:30, 11:30, P. M. 12:30, 1:30, 2:30 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 7:36, 8:36, 9:36, 10:35, 11:55x. 10:36, 11:55.

xTrain runs to Four Mile Run only.

Pocket schedule may be obtained at all ticket offices.—Washington-Virginia Railway Co.
232-tf

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

Margaret J. Bradt, complainant vs. Joseph L. Bradt, defendant. In Chancery No. 2041.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, State of Virginia, annulling and holding for naught the marriage of the complainant and the defendant, and for other relief, because of the bigamous marriage contracted with the complainant by the defendant and through his fault, and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
30-4wp Clerk.
Neudecker and Ashford, P. Q.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

James Harry Wilson, complainant, vs. Annie Emily Wilson, defendant. In Chancery No. 2042.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without just cause or excuse, for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit and that this order be also published posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
30-4wp Clerk.
R. B. Washington, P. Q.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

Robert E. Bayne, complainant vs. Caroline Ulrich Bayne, defendant. In Chancery No. 2043.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without just cause or excuse, for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
30-4wp Clerk.
Davis and Budwesky, P. Q.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

Anna Lauritzen, complainant vs. Louis Lauritzen, defendant. In Chancery No. 2038.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for Complainant a limited divorce from the Defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment and that upon the passage of the statutory period of three years, same may be merged into an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
27-4wp Clerk.
R. B. Washington, P. Q.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

Lansford Faybury Harrington, complainant vs. Marguerite Phelps Harrington, defendant. In Chancery No. 2039.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without just cause or excuse, for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
27-4wp Clerk
R. B. Washington. P. Q.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

Mary E. Green complainant vs. Charles Green defendant. In Chancery No. 2036.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant from defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without just cause or excuse, for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days after due publication hereof and do what is necessary to protect defendant's interest in this suit, and that this order be also published, posted and mailed to defendant according to law.

Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
21-4wp Clerk.
A. H. Collins. P. Q.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria.

Elizabeth Gertrude Miller, complainant vs. Walter J. Miller, defendant. In Chancery No. 2045.

An affidavit having been filed that the defendant is a non-resident of this State, and the Sergeant having made such return upon process issued herein, upon written application stating defendant's last known post office address and place of abode, the following order of publication upon grounds therein stated is entered.

The object of this suit is to obtain for Complainant a limited divorce from the Defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment and that upon the passage of the statutory period of three years, same may be merged into an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony, and for general relief.

It is ordered in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia that the defendant appear here within ten days

ON THE 5:15

LIE ON MYRTLE LET ME TEACH YOU HOW TO BOX I NEED A LITTLE EXERCISE BEFORE I GO TO THE OFFICE
HE'S EASY AUNT MYRTLE LICKED HIM
DON'T BOTHER ME WITH YOUR FOOLISHNESS BEAT IT
SHE DOESN'T TAKE ANY INTEREST IN ANYTHING THAT I LIKE
DINNER HAS BEEN WAITING FOR AN HOUR- HE DOESN'T CARE HOW MUCH TROUBLE HE PUTS ME TO
HERE IT IS NINE O'CLOCK - HE'S BEEN LATE THREE TIMES IN A WEEK
OH JOHN WILL YOU TEACH ME HOW TO BOX?
GEE I THOUGHT YOU'D BE MAD TONIGHT- SURE I'LL TEACH YOU- GET THE GLOVES
AND FROM NOW ON YOU GET HOME AT SIX THIRTY SHARP
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Eastern Europe Needs Your Assistance

Every dollar contributed may save a life. The severe winter has made fearful inroads on the starving children. They need clothes and food. If you have not contributed, send a contribution to

J. T. PRESTON, Treas., Chamber of Commerce
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Abe Cory brought the following story over from New York the other day:

"You are acquitted, Sam."

"Acquitted," repeated Sam doubtfully. "What do you mean, judge?"

"That's the sentence; you are acquitted."

Still looking somewhat confused Sam said: "Judge, does dat mean I have to give the watch back?"—Christian Evangelist.

A colored preacher in Alabama had at one time served a short jail sentence and was fearful lest his congregation discover the fact, as in his later years he had been a model of rectitude. One Sunday, rising to begin his sermon, his heart sank to see a former cellmate sitting in the front row. Quick thinking was necessary. Fixing his eye on the unwelcome guest, the preacher announced solemnly: "Ah takes mah text dis mo'nin' from de sixty-fo'th chapter and fo' hundredth verse of de book of Job, which says: 'Dem as sees an' knows me, and says nothin,' dem will Ah see later."—The Argonaut.

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SCHOOL DAYS — By DWIG

Why The Railroads Were Taken Over By The Government

"Why did the United States government, on January 1, 1917, take over the control of the railroads and operate them during the war and until February 29, 1920?"

This question was answered by William Gibbs McAdoo, former director general of railroads during federal control, before the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, on February 2, 1922. He said:

"In the fall of 1917 the inefficiency of the American railroads made them unintentionally, but nevertheless actually, the strongest ally of the German Kaiser. The collapse of the railroads under the burden of war traffic had almost cut the line of communication between the American army at the front and its base of supplies."

When the United States entered the war it had agreed to supply certain quantities of food to feed the allied armies and civil populations. Railroad congestion under private management made it impossible to keep these commitments.

Allied Nations Faced Starvation

On February, 1918, the "situation was extremely black for the allies." On the 8th day of that month the President sent to Mr. McAdoo a collective message from the Prime Ministers of Great Britain, France and Italy, saying:

(1) That the bread cereals sent from North America were in December, 1917, 500,000 tons below the amount fixed by the Paris conference; and in January more than 400,000 tons below the adopted program.

(2) That this deficit of 900,000 tons had been caused by the congestion of the railroads and the lack of cars and coal and would result in a condition especially serious through out the allied states.

(3) That the failure of the railroads to deliver food had already resulted in the rations of the Italian army being twice reduced and the rations of the French army once; that unless food supplies were rushed to Europe immediately and in adequate quantities starvation would inevitably overtake the civil population of the allies; that the armies could not be adequately supported and that defeat would undoubtedly result.

The Railroad Administration, upon assuming control, immediately gave its attention to this exceedingly grave problem. Empty cars were rushed west, loaded and then sent to the Eastern seaboard. The result was stated by Mr. McAdoo to the Senate Committee:

"On the 15th day of March, 1918, one month and one week after the February meeting (Mr. McAdoo refers to a meeting of railroad and government officials to consider and outline plans for meeting the emergency) I had the pleasure of addressing a letter to the Ambassadors of Great Britain, France nad Italy, informing them that loaded cars of food had accumulated to such an extent at the leading Atlantic seaports that it would be necessary to seriously consider an embargo against the food movement unless immediate relief in the way of ships could be afforded, so that the cars could be unloaded and put back into the essential commerce of the country."

The congestion of traffic had reached such an acute stage that on December 1, 1917, the Interstate Commerce Commission submited to Congress a report sharply calling attention to the critical situation that faced the country.

"Menace to the Public Safety"

On January 2, 1918, Commissioner Aitcheson, of the I. C. C., told the Interstate Commerce Committee of the Senate, discussing this special report: "The conclusion were intolerable and constituted a menace to the public safety."

On March 22, 1917, Samuel Rea, President of the P. R. R informed the Interstate Commerce Commission that Railroad Executives had reached the same conclusion. He said: "We realize that the condition of the railroads today presents a menace to the country, not alone to the owners of the properties, but as affecting directly the international situation."

Upon the declaraiton of war, April 6, 1917, the Council of National Defense organized the Railroad War Board, composed of Fairfax Harrison, Julius Kruttschnitt, Hale Holden, Samuel Rea and Howard Elliott, and it undertook to secure co-operation between the various railroad systems between the various railroad systems tee, Mr. McAdoo says, the condition of the railroads grew steadily worse until there had been an almost complete paralysis of transportation. On December 22, 1917, the Railroad War Board confessed its inability to solve the problems of transportation.

During this period not less than 5 committees of railroad exceutives had failed to restore the proper efficinecy to the transportation system.

Followed Recommendations of I. C. C

It was upon recommendations of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the confession of failure by railroad executives that the president, on December 26, 1917, directed the taking over of the railroads as a war measure.

"Of the advisability and necessity of this action there has never been a question," declares Mr. McAdoo. Julius Kruttschnitt, spokesman for the Railroad Executives before various tribunals, admitted before the Senate Commitee that "what has been done has been done for the best I have gathered from general intercourse with railroad executives that they have all accepted the situation as the best thing to be done."

"This breakdown of the railroads did not ocucr over night," said Mr. McAdoo. "It resulted not alone from lack of unification, but from the impaired physical condition of the roads extending over a period of years, and from long deferred maintenance and improvements."

When the roads were taken over by the government, the records of the I. C. C. disclose, there were 145,000 cars of freight in excess of normal in the territory east of Chicago and St. Louis and north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers.

The facts, as they have been adduced by the Senate Committee, are:

On January 1, 1917, the transportation system had broken down and was inadequate to the nation's needs The American government's war program was hampered, the allied armies were short of food and materials and the civil population of our allies in Europe were facing starvation.

The railroad executives, after 8 months of effort, were unable to correct this situation and confessed their inability to do so.

The government acted only when it became clearly established that refusal to do so would invite irremediable disaster.

On January 17, 1919, after a year of Federal control, A. H. Smith, C. H. Markham, R. H. Aishton, Hale Holden, B. F. Rushr, N. D. Maher and B. L. Winchell, among the ablest railroad men in the United States, officially reported to the Railroad Administration:

"The measures taken during the year 1918 called for no apologies. The efficient operation of the railroads in support of the government during the war justifies every act of the administration during that period."

This testimony is ample refutation of charges that the railroads were taken over for political reasons and that they were operated inefficiently.

Place Wreath On Tomb

Delegation of Members of George Washington Birthday Association Visit Mt. Vernon

In accordance with an established custom the members and delegation of members of the George Washington Birthday Associationthis morning journeyed to Mount Vernon and placed a handsome memorial wreath on the tomb of George Washington, Ever since its organization this association used to hold a parade on Washington's birthday, but for many years past this custom has been abandoned. Those in the party today were: Mayor J. M. Duncan, A. D Brockett, Julian Y. Williams, R. E. Knight, W. H. Thomas, R. S. Jones, J. William May, R. F Downham, Harry D. Kirk, R. M. Graham, H. Noel Garner, H. B Caton, C. T. Nicholson, John H. Trimyer and Gen. Cress, U. S. A., retired.

WIRTH PLEADS FOR CHANCE FOR GERMANY

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there can be no return to safety and prosperity. If the whole weight were put on us suddenly, there would, of course, be an immediate crash and we would be flat on our backs.

"The fact that the burden is being imposed gradually has postponed the crash, but it grows heavier all the time as our ability to carry the load is diminished. In the end it is bound to break us down. When the break comes the economic consequences to the rest of the world are obvious to every sensible man who knows the situation. It does not take a prophet to forecast them.

"The vital question is, I repeat, will the world see and act in time to prevent the crash. A year ago the present German Government formed its policy on reparations. It seemed to us that the only way to convince the world of the complete impossibility and unbearable hardship of the reparations demands was to start in and go to the extreme limit of our ability to pay. This we have done. In less than a year, when we applied to the Bank of England for a loan to enable us to continue, it was declined on the ground that we were a bankrupt nation and our credit was no good.

"My conviction is that in the last year we have convinced a good part of the world both of the good faith with which Germany has tried to meet the demands and of the impossible and crushing nature of the demands themselves."

Thirty Four of Roma Crew Dead in Wreck

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ton, D. C.

First Lieut. Clarence H. Welch, of Papillion, Neb.

Lieut. B. G. Burt, pilot, slightly injured.

Sergeant Harry A. Chapman.

Sergeant Virden T. Peak, Terre Haute, Ind. (uninjured).

Sergeant Joseph M. Biedenbach, Akron, Ohio.

Corporal Flores.

Charles Dworack, McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio.

Ray Hurley, of the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics (uninjured).

Walter A. McNair, of the Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C.

Missing.

Major John G. Thornell.

Major Walter W. Vautsmeier.

Captain Dale Mabry.

Captain George D. Watts.

Captain Allen P. McFarland.

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First Lieutenant J. R. Hall.

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Sergeant Yarborough.

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Sergeant Holmes.

Sergeant Heveron.

Private Kingston.

Private Blakley.

Private Thompson.

Private Hill.

Civilians (all said to be of McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio).

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O'Laughlin.

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LEND A HAND

Everyone has read with horror of the frightful conditions that exist in Central and Eastern Europe. Famine and the plague alike claim victims. Human beings, driven insane by the hungar madness, became ravening wolves. The picture might be enlarged in a manner that would revolt even the most hardened person, but there is no need of that. When famishing human beings devour their own kind, words are futile.

This thing must be stopped. The fact that the stricken country is Russia does not count. The fact that the people may be to blame in a measure, for the doom they have brought upon themselves is nothing in their hour of need.

They must be helped. All must lend a hand. This is no time to stop to take account of things, to weigh matters, to see just what we can do. It is a time to act.

No matter how small it may be; Give. Alone, little may be accomplished, but together a great deal may be done. Russia can be rescued, the starving fed, the fever stricken restored, little children saved.

Nor can this country hope to prosper until this plague-spot is wiped out. That is an economical, commercial fact. The old world must be cured of its ills, physical and mental, and we must play the good Samaritan. Our Jewish friends have never been niggardly when called upon to aid any Christian enterprise. Nor should we fail them in their hour of need. Give generously to the relief fund. Help raise Virginia's quota.

Lend ahand!

Salem—The second of a series of dual intercollegiate debates, arranged by the debate council of Roanoke College, will be held with Hampden-Sidney on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The question for debate will be: "Resolved, That the United States Should Ratify the Four-Power Treaty Between Great Britain, France, Japan and the United States."

Danville—Swift progress was being made at South Boston Saturday in clearing up cases accruing in the anti-liquor crusade. One effect of the number of maximum fines and jail sentences has been to prompt many persons charged with violations to waive preliminary hearings and to give bond for appearance in the Halifax court, taking chances before a jury.

RHEUMATISM IS ENTIRELY GONE STATES KNIGHT

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In observance of Washington's birthday, banks, city and government offices were closed all day today and many business houses suspended for the day. Flags were flying from many buildings throughout the city. Hundreds of persons passed through the city during the day en route to Mount Vernon and many wreaths today were placed on Washington's tomb. Hundreds made the trip by motor.

Tonight many balls and parties have been arranged. This was cherry day and a number of young ladies sold artificial cherries on the streets in order to raise funds for the Alexandria Playgrounds.

George Washington's celebration will be held tonight at the Lyceum Hall by Fitzgerald Council No. 459, Knights of Columbus, which will be open to the public. Representative R. Walton Moore will be the principal speaker. A musical program also will be given in connection with the celebration.

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Former Resident Dies

Mr. E. P. Donaldson, 1407 King street, formerly of this city, died of pneumonia in his old home in Bowling Green, Ky., February 18, after a short illness of about two weeks. His daughter, Miss Evelyn, left their home in Washington to be with him, but his wife was too ill to accompany her.

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